



**ALLEN COUNTY / VANDERBURGH COUNTY
SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE
DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY**

(CAN-41)

State Form 48517 (R6/11-09)
Indiana Election Commission (IC 33-33-2-8; IC 33-33-82-31)

INSTRUCTIONS: This form is used by an individual who is seeking election to the superior court in Allen or Vanderburgh County. A declaration of candidacy must be filed with the Indiana Election Division no later than NOON, February 19, 2010 and no earlier than January 20, 2010. Please print or type all information on this form except all signatures. **SEE IMPORTANT INFORMATION ON BACK OF FORM.**

STATE OF INDIANA

COUNTY OF ☐ ALLEN (*check one*)
☐ VANDERBURGH

GENERAL INFORMATION

I, _____ the undersigned, certify the following:
Name of Candidate

(1) I am a registered voter of Precinct _____ of the Township of _____,
(or of Ward _____ of the City or Town of _____), County of _____, State of Indiana.

(2) I request that you place my name be placed on the official general election ballot for the office of (*check one box*)

☐ Allen or the ☐ Vanderburgh County Superior Court Division _____

with the following individual currently serving as incumbent judge _____

to be voted on at the general election to be held on November 2, 2010.

(3) I comply with all requirements under the laws of the State of Indiana to be a candidate for this office (*including any applicable residency requirement*). I am not ineligible to be a candidate due to a criminal conviction that would prohibit me from serving in this office.

RESIDENCY INFORMATION

(4) My complete residence address is:

_____, Indiana _____
Complete Residence Address Must Be Inserted City ZIP Code

(5) My mailing address is (*if different from residence address*):

_____, Indiana _____
Mailing Address (*Write "SAME" if both addresses are identical or leave blank*) City ZIP Code

CANDIDATE NAME INFORMATION

I request that my name appear on the general election ballot in the following manner:

(*Include any Nickname and/or Suffix, Jr. Sr. II III IV)

I also request that my name on my voter registration record be the same as the name on this declaration of candidacy, and that a copy of this form be forwarded to the county voter registration office for any necessary change.

The candidate's name must comply with the requirements in Indiana Code 3-5-7. If a candidate's name does not comply with this state law, the declaration may be challenged under Indiana Code 3-8-1-2.

*A candidate may use a nickname on the ballot only if the nickname is a name by which the candidate is commonly known and does not exceed 20 characters.

EXAMPLE: John R. (Jack) Doe A candidate may not use a title or degree as a designation or a designation that implies a title or degree.

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, certify that the information in this Declaration of Candidacy is true and complete, and I meet the specific requirements of this office.

Signature Date signed (MM/DD/YY) Telephone (Day) Telephone (Evening)

↓ Please complete reverse of form ↓

CAMPAIGN FINANCE INFORMATION

(6) I have been a candidate for state or local office in Indiana in a previous primary election: ☐ Yes ☐ No (Check one)
(If the answer to this question is no, skip paragraph 7.)

(7) I have filed all reports required by IC 3-9-5-10 for all previous candidacies: ☐ Yes ☐ No (Check one)

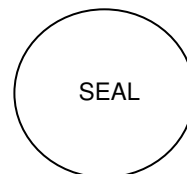
(8) I am aware of the provisions of IC 3-9 regarding campaign finance and the reporting of contributions and expenditures. I agree to comply with the provisions of IC 3-9.

Signature	Date signed (MM/DD/YY)	Telephone ()
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(9) I have filed a campaign finance statement of organization for my principal candidate's committee with the appropriate county election board **OR** I am aware that I may be required to file the campaign finance statement of organization not later than noon, seven (7) days after the final date to file this declaration of candidacy.

STATE OF _____)
COUNTY OF _____) SS:

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 2010.



Notary Public or Other Official Administering Oath

My Commission expires (applies only to Notary Public): _____

County of Residence: _____

CAMPAIGN FINANCE NOTICE

A candidate's committee must file a pre-election campaign finance report no later than **NOON, Friday, October 15, 2010**, with the appropriate county election board.

The candidate's committee must also file a pre-election supplemental report no later than forty-eight (48) hours after the committee receives contributions from a person that total \$1,000 or more during the period beginning **October 9, 2010 and ending October 31, 2010**, with the appropriate county election board. If no such contribution is received, the candidate's committee is not required to file a supplemental report.

A person who fails to file a report with the county election board is subject to a civil penalty of \$50 for each day the report is late, with the afternoon of the final date for filing the report being calculated as the first day, for a maximum penalty of not more than \$1,000, plus any investigative costs incurred and documented by the county election board.